## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FROM THE NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS

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Applicant

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Application No.:

09/772,100

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Title

: HIGH TEMPERATURE METHOD FOR BROWNING

PRECOOKED, WHOLE MUSCLE MEAT PRODUCTS

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Examiner

Not Yet Assigned

Docket No.

42892/KMO/C945

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Post Office Box 7068 Pasadena, CA 91109-7068 July 30, 2001

## Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated March 30, 2001 for two month(s) from May 30, 2001 to July 30, 2001.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 55	\$110	\$
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$195	\$390	\$390.00
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$445	\$890	\$
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$695	\$1390	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$945	\$1890	\$

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 390.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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